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BIG SIS!!

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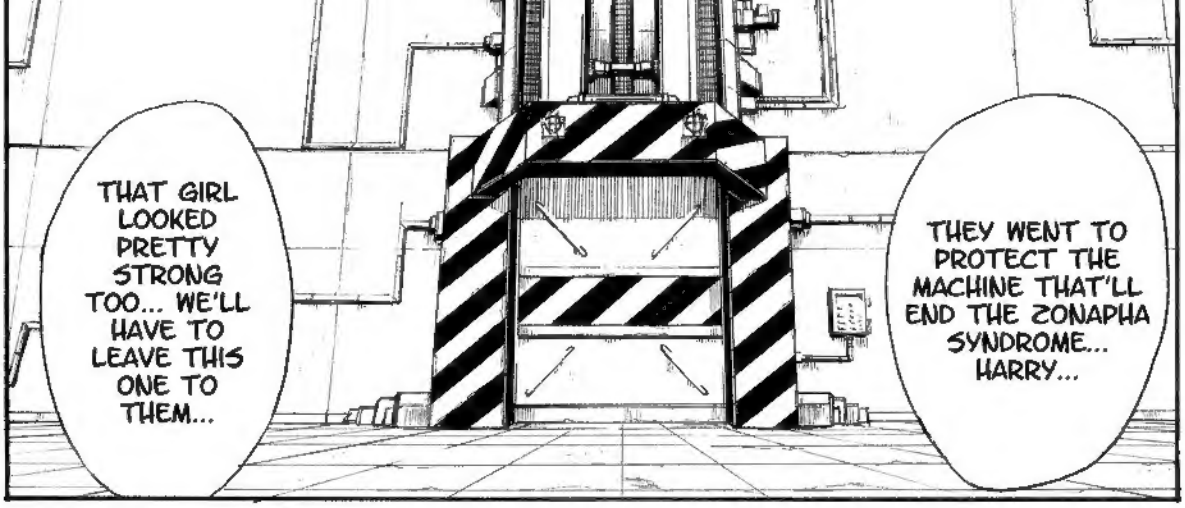
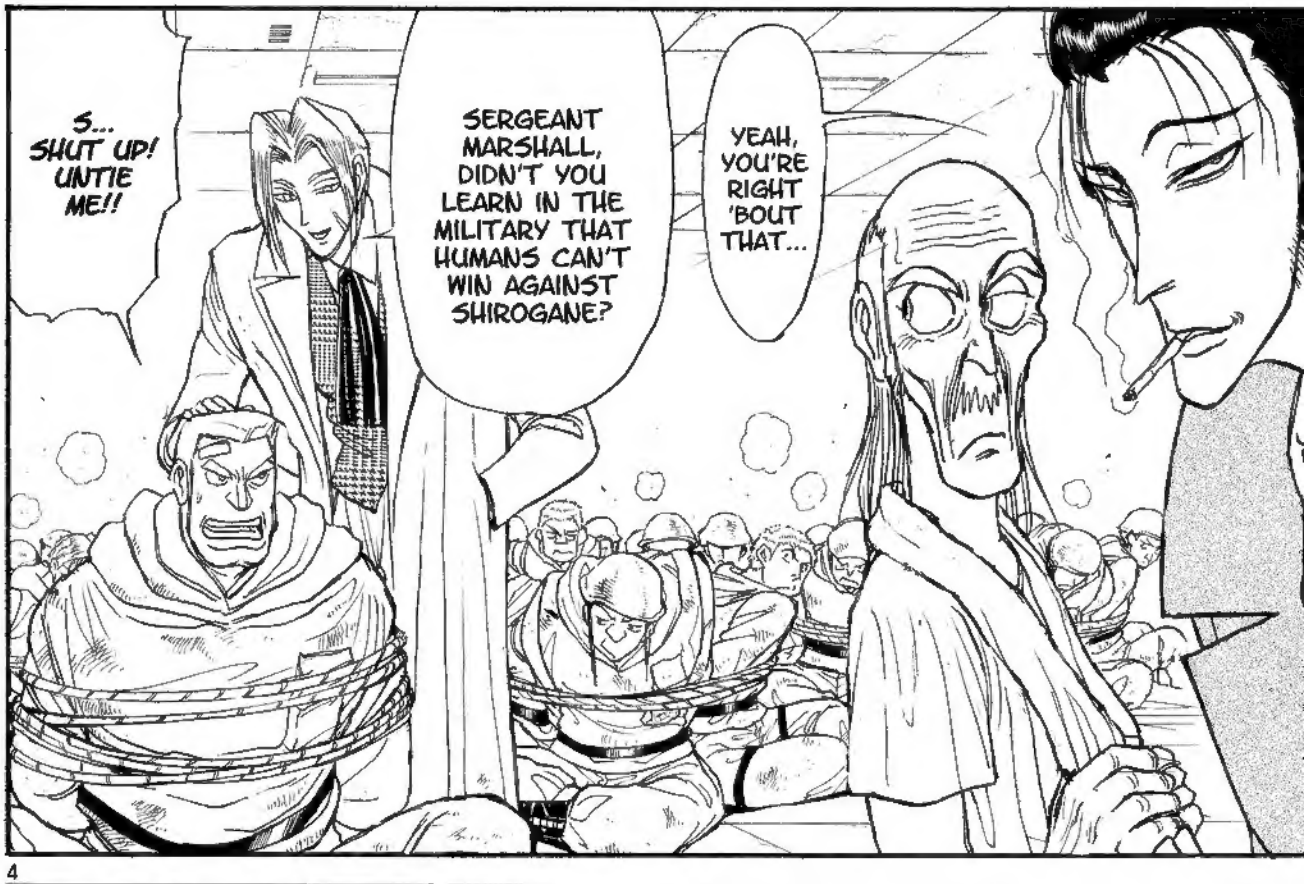
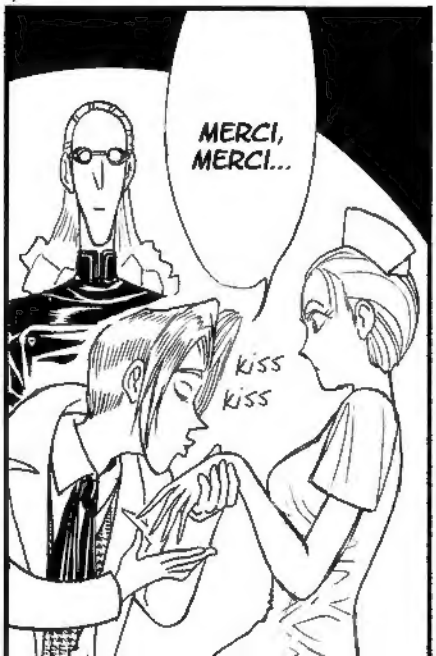
HANG IN
THERE!!
BIG SIS!!

It's just as the human Jaspers wrote. Humans can't recognize their limits objectively!!
That's why you'll lose against me, Blom Blom Low...
BAS-TARD... HOW DARE YOU...
I WON'T FORGIVE YOU...


THAT GIRL LOOKED PRETTY STRONG TOO... WE'LL HAVE TO LEAVE THIS ONE TO THEM...
THEY WENT TO PROTECT THE MACHINE THAT'LL END THE ZONAPHA SYNDROME... HARRY...


S... SHUT UP! UNTIE ME!!
SERGEANT MARSHALL, DIDN'T YOU LEARN IN THE MILITARY THAT HUMANS CAN'T WIN AGAINST SHIROGANE?
YEAH, YOU'RE RIGHT 'BOUT THAT...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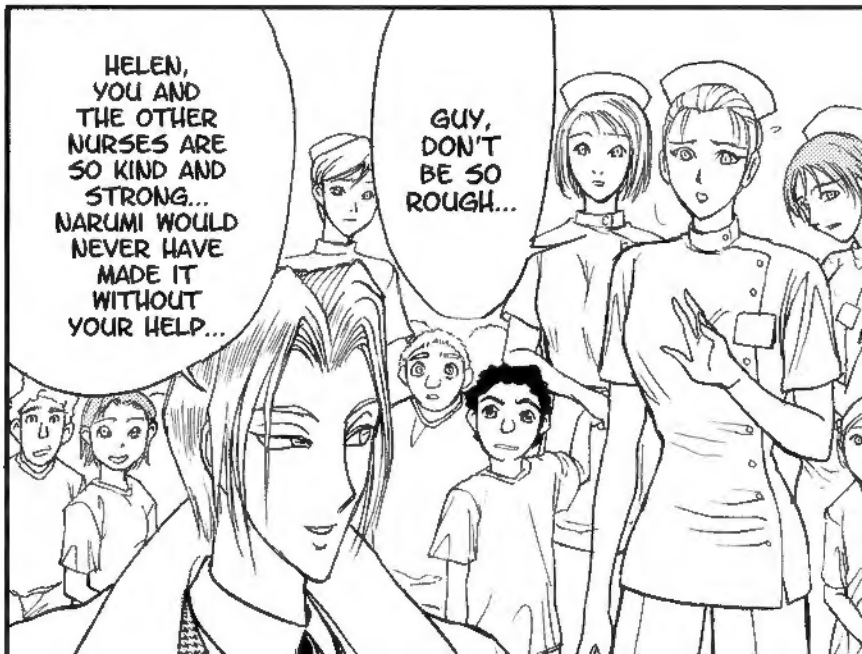
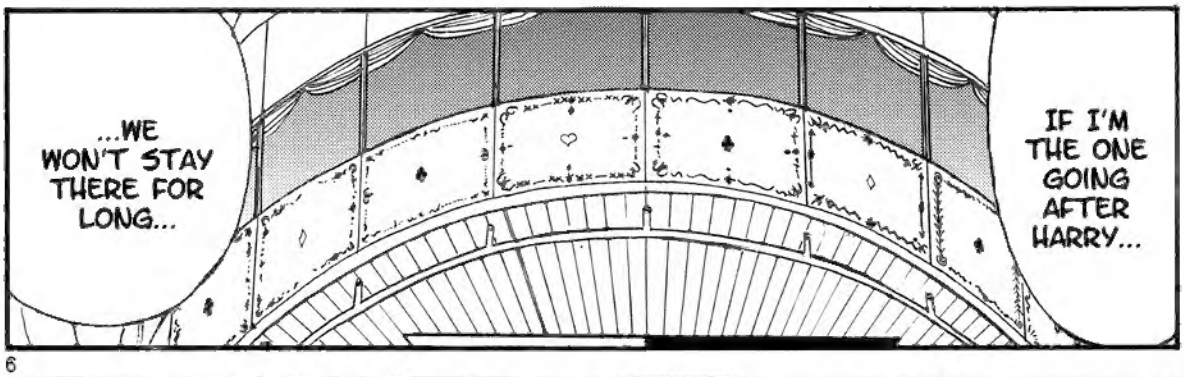

HELEN, YOU AND THE OTHER NURSES ARE SO KIND AND STRONG... NARUMI WOULD NEVER HAVE MADE IT WITHOUT YOUR HELP...
GUY, DON'T BE SO ROUGH...

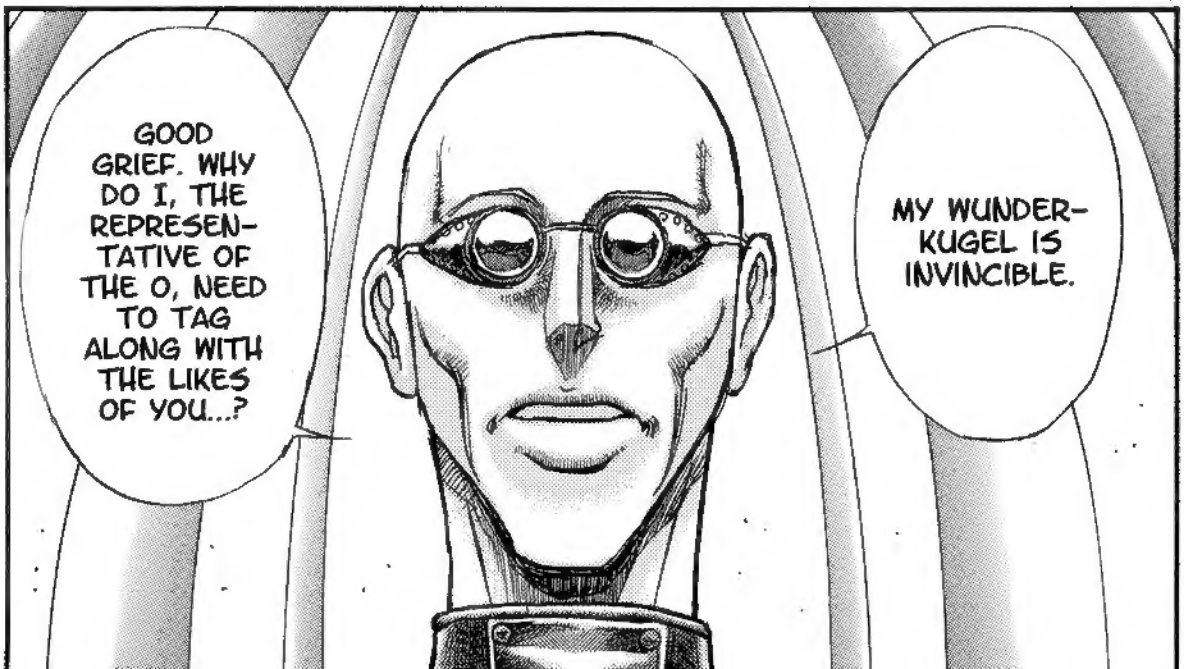
AUTOMATA REINFORCE-MENTS ARE ON THEIR WAY HERE.
FOU CON-TACTED ME JUST NOW.
OUCH, WHAT DO YOU WANT, SHIRO-GANE-O?
THROUGH THE ULTRA-HIGH PERFOR-MANCE COMMU-NICATION DEVICE "HERMES" ...
I CAN TALK TO FOU VIA SATELLITE.
GEORGE, HOW DID HE CON-TACT YOU...?
I SEE...
WHAT?!

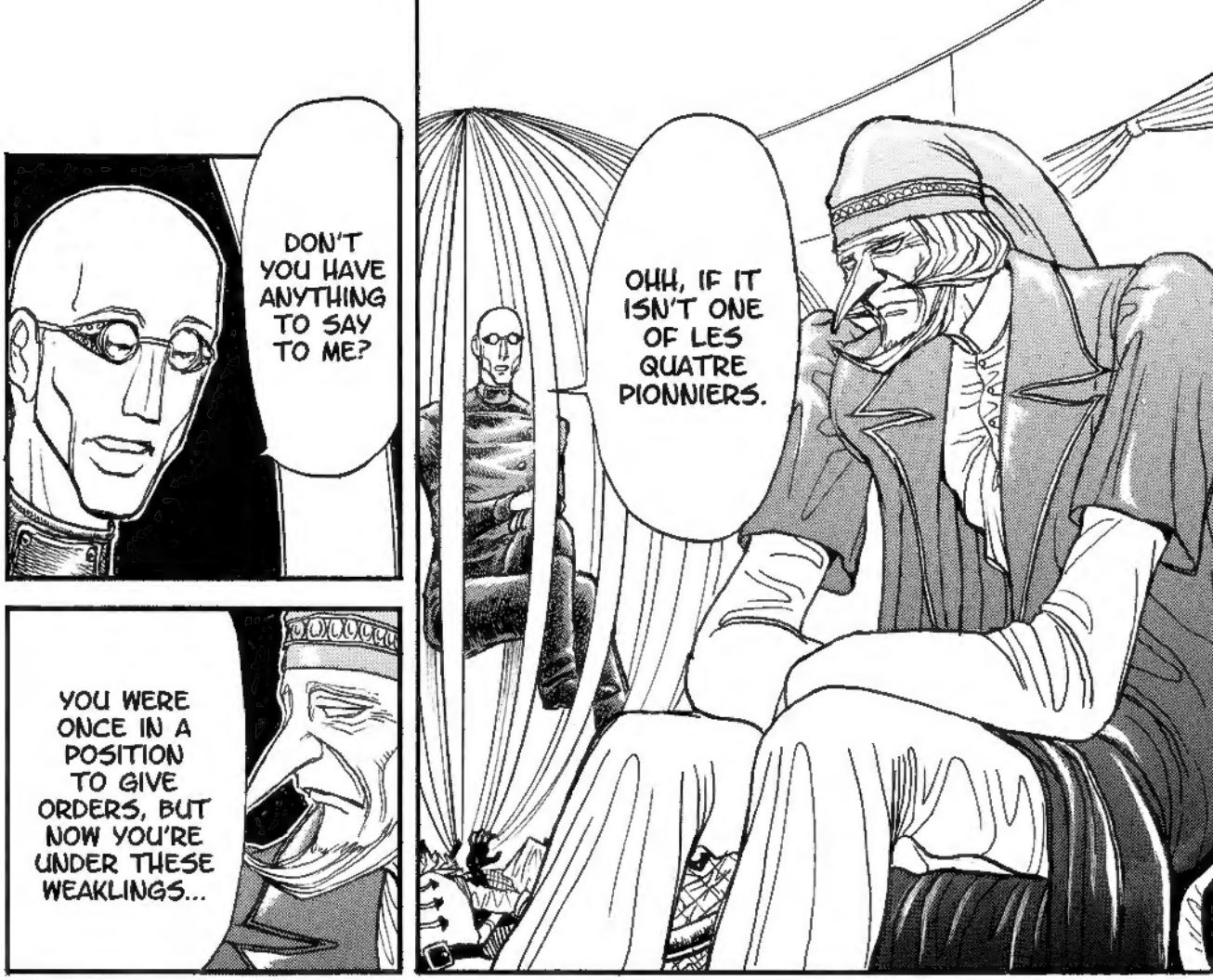
SOME DANGEROUS ONES ARE APPROACHING THE RAY PLAGUE LABORA-TORY!!
LET ME WARN YOU, MR. GEORGE.
HE'S MONITORING THE ENEMY WITH HIS INSECT-TYPE DOLL "EYESECT" IN THE AIR, AND REPORTING IT TO ME.

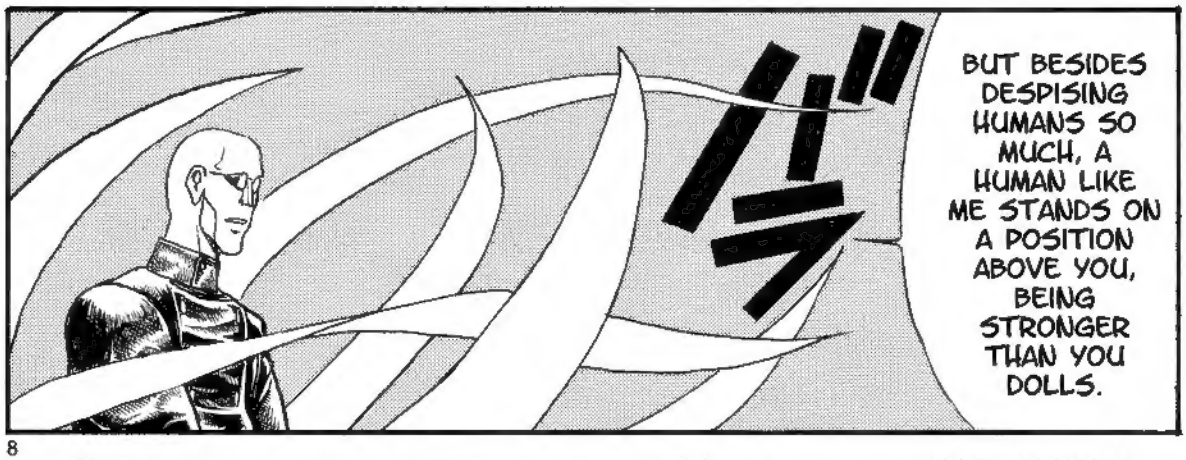
THEY SEEM TO BE MUCH STRONGER THAN THE AUTOMATA YOU ENCOUNTERED.
TWO MOBILE AIRCRAFTS WITH PROBABLY AROUND 1500 OF THEM...


...WE WON'T STAY THERE FOR LONG...
IF I'M THE ONE GOING AFTER HARRY...

IS IT OVER?
ARE THERE ANY AUTOMATA WHO SAY THEY DON'T LIKE ME WHO WANT TO GO NEXT?
THEN, IT'S DECIDED.
NOT A SINGLE ONE OF YOU ARE A MATCH FOR ME, THE MECHANICAL HUMAN "O" KARL SCHNAZY.


MY WUNDER-KUGEL IS INVINCIBLE.
GOOD GRIEF. WHY DO I, THE REPRESEN-TATIVE OF THE O, NEED TO TAG ALONG WITH THE LIKES OF YOU...?


DON'T YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO SAY TO ME?
OHH, IF IT ISN'T ONE OF LES QUATRE PIONNIERS.
YOU WERE ONCE IN A POSITION TO GIVE ORDERS, BUT NOW YOU'RE UNDER THESE WEAKLINGS...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BUT BESIDES DESPISING HUMANS SO MUCH, A HUMAN LIKE ME STANDS ON A POSITION ABOVE YOU, BEING STRONGER THAN YOU DOLLS.

HUH?
HOW ABOUT IT? WILL YOU LET ME HEAR YOUR THOUGHTS?
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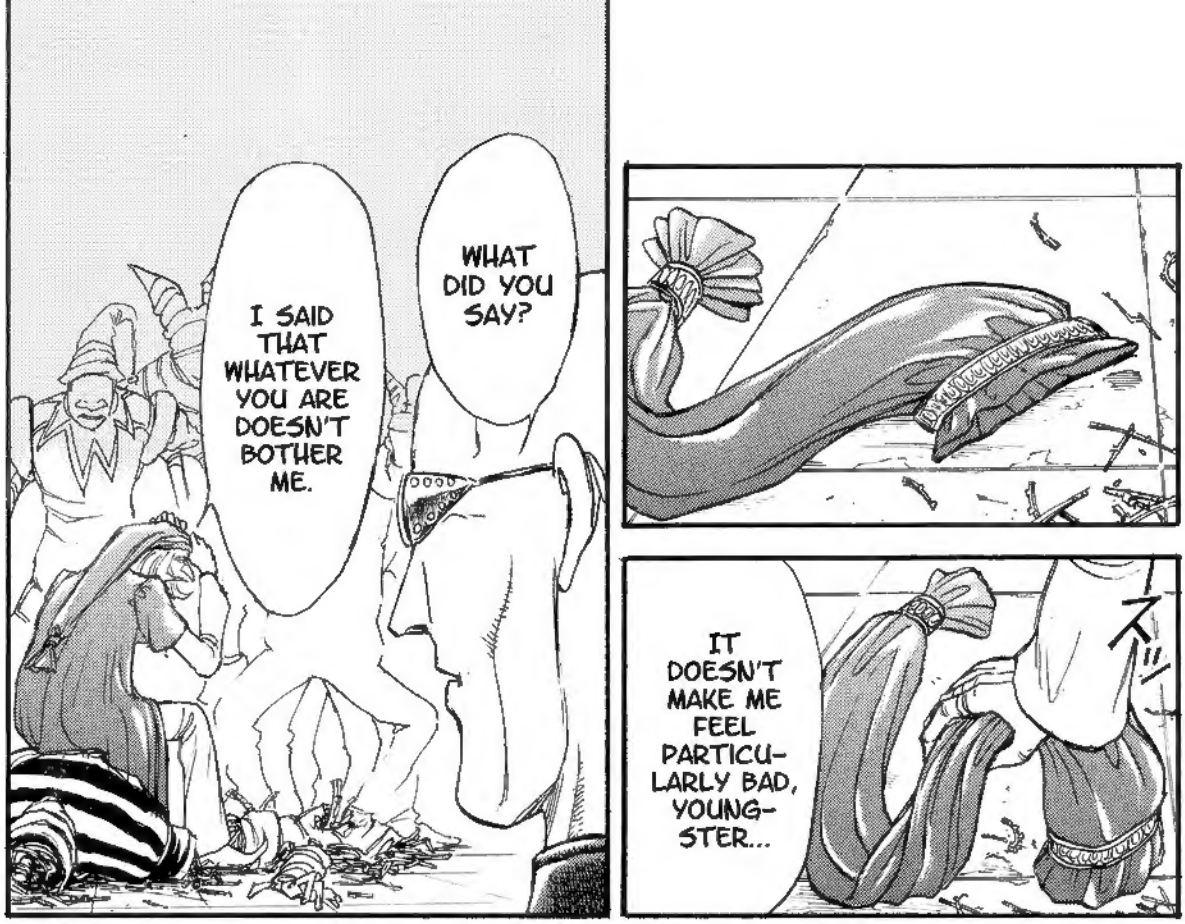
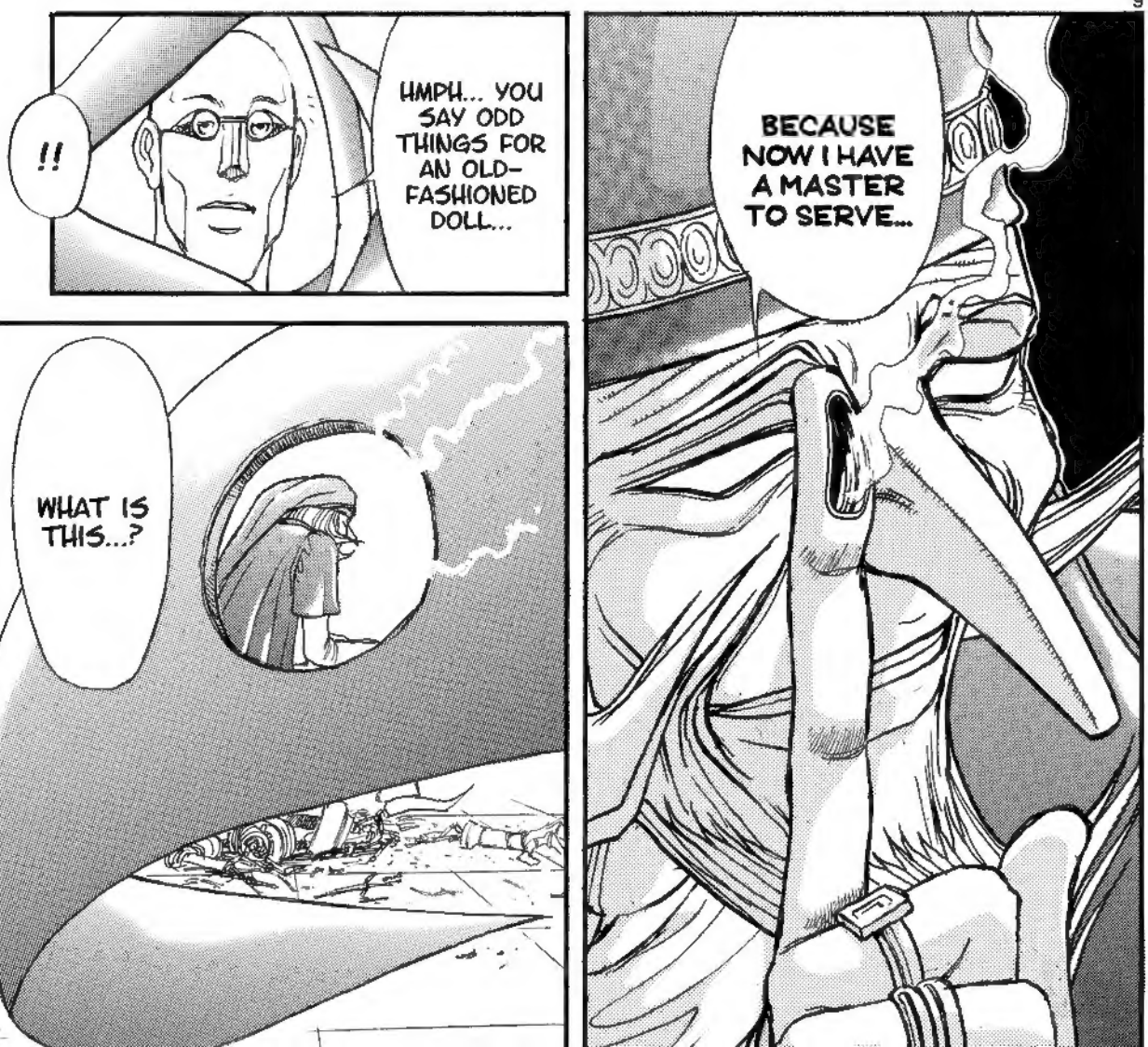

WHAT DID YOU SAY?
I SAID THAT WHATEVER YOU ARE DOESN'T BOTHER ME.
IT DOESN'T MAKE ME FEEL PARTICU-LARLY BAD, YOUNG-STER...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HMPH... YOU SAY ODD THINGS FOR AN OLD-FASHIONED DOLL...
WHAT IS THIS...?
BECAUSE NOW I HAVE A MASTER TO SERVE...

RAY
STATE
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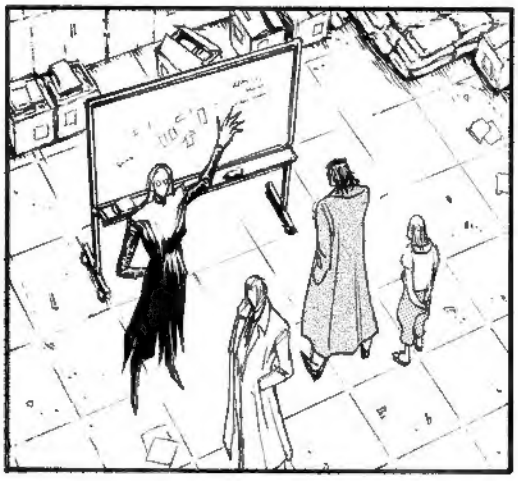
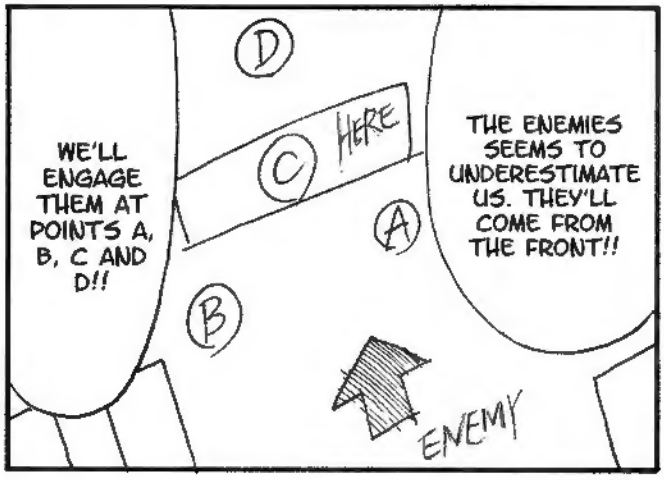
LABORATORY

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HERE
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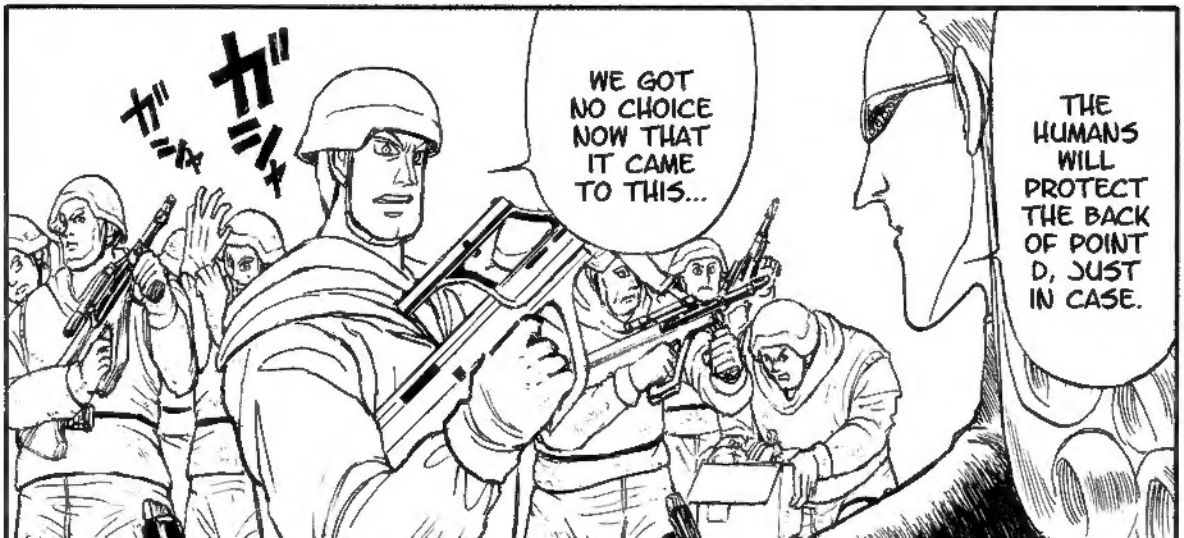
WE'LL ENGAGE THEM AT POINTS A, B, C AND D!!
THE ENEMIES SEEMS TO UNDERESTIMATE US. THEY'LL COME FROM THE FRONT!!
ENEMY

DON'T EXPECT MUCH FROM ME.
ASHI-HANA WILL BE AT POINT B.

JUST FINE.
GUY WILL GUARD POINT A. HOW'S OLYMPIA?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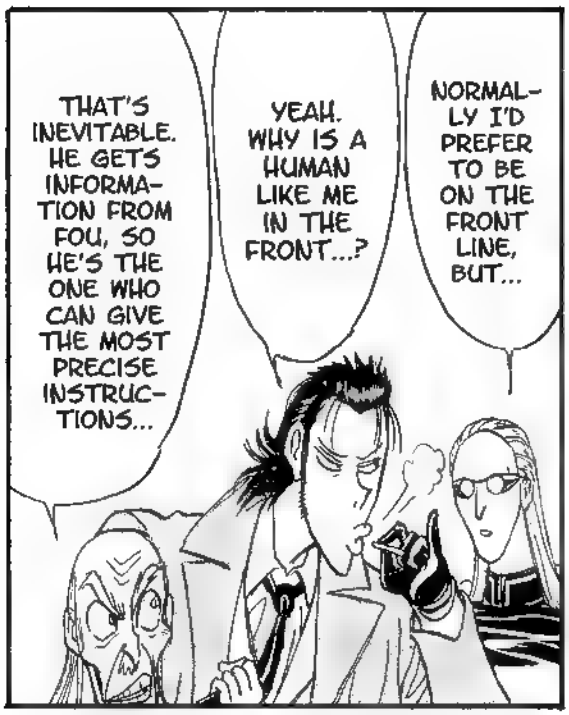
WE GOT NO CHOICE NOW THAT IT CAME TO THIS...
THE HUMANS WILL PROTECT THE BACK OF POINT D, JUST IN CASE.


THAT'S INEVITABLE. HE GETS INFORMATION FROM FOU, SO HE'S THE ONE WHO CAN GIVE THE MOST PRECISE INSTRUCTIONS...
YEAH. WHY IS A HUMAN LIKE ME IN THE FRONT...?
NORMALLY I'D PREFER TO BE ON THE FRONT LINE, BUT...

AND I'LL PROTECT THE SURVIVORS AT POINT C...

IT'S A MILITARY COMMUNICATION DEVICE. IT'S BETTER THAN NOTHING.
THE HECK IS THIS THING?
WHICH REMINDS ME, TAKE THIS!!

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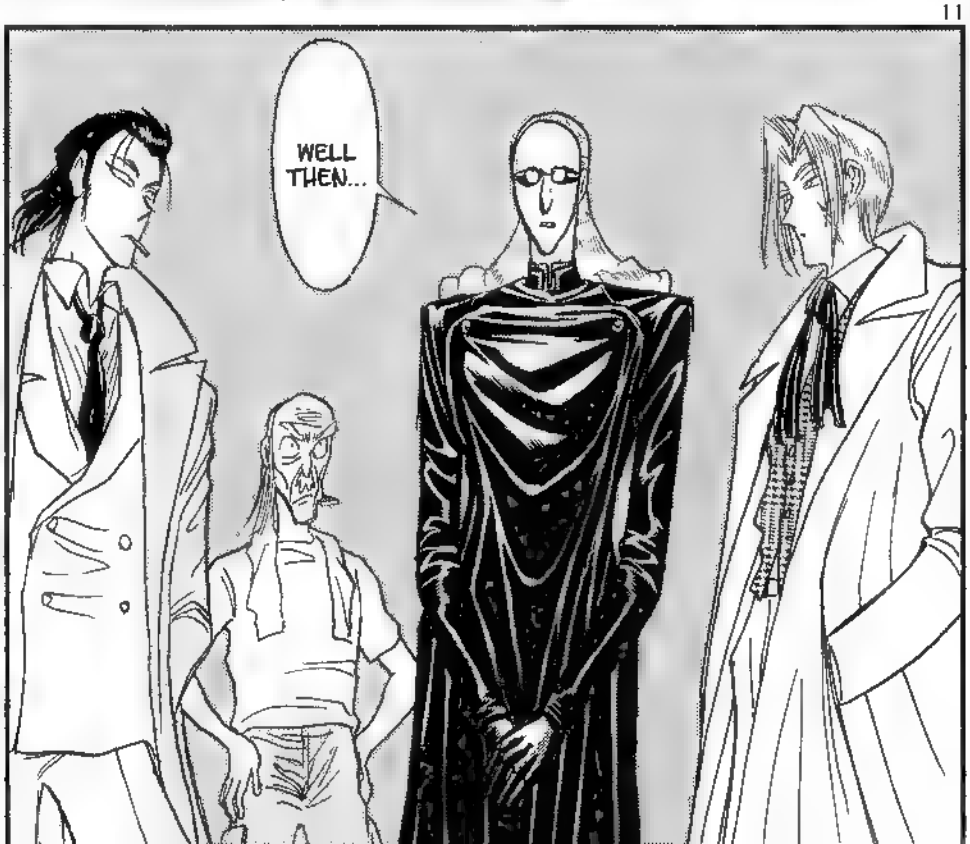
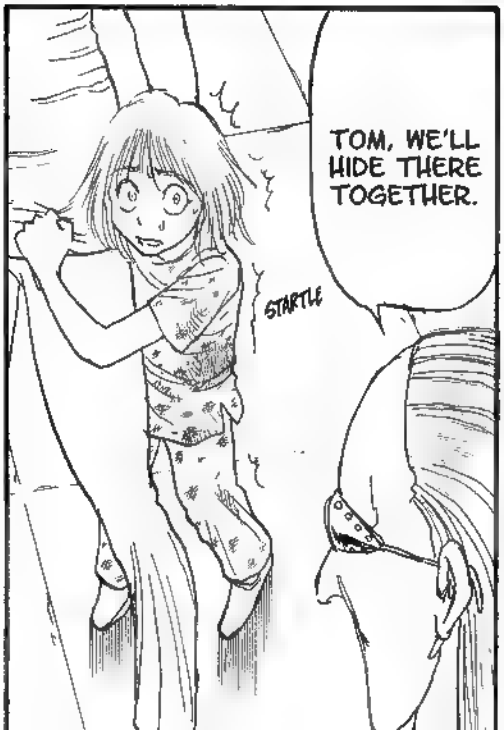
WE DIDN'T SPEND MUCH TIME TOGETHER, BUT Y'ALL BETTER NOT DIE!!


WELL THEN...

I ACKNOW-LEDGE THAT THE HUMANS ARE LACKING MAN-POWER...
IN MY CASE, I'M OUTTA HERE THE MOMENT IT GETS UGLY. DON'T NEED TO WORRY ABOUT ME.
OLD MAN, I STILL WANT TO FOOL AROUND WITH LOTS OF LADIES...

LET'S GO!


TOM, WE'LL HIDE THERE TOGETHER.
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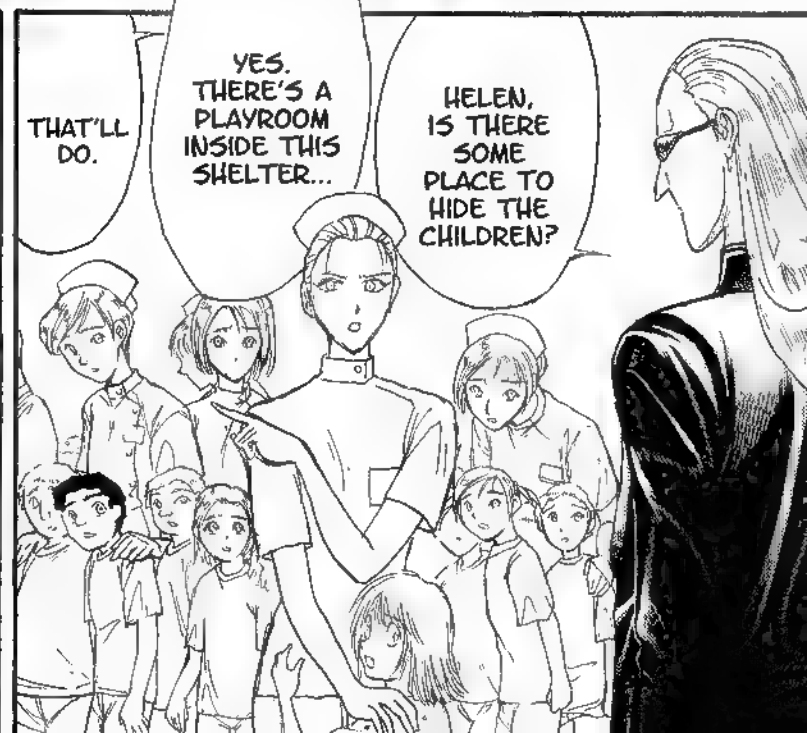
THAT'LL DO.
YES. THERE'S A PLAYROOM INSIDE THIS SHELTER...
HELEN, IS THERE SOME PLACE TO HIDE THE CHILDREN?

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WHAT'S UP WITH THAT BRAT? HE'S SCARED SHITLESS OF YOU...
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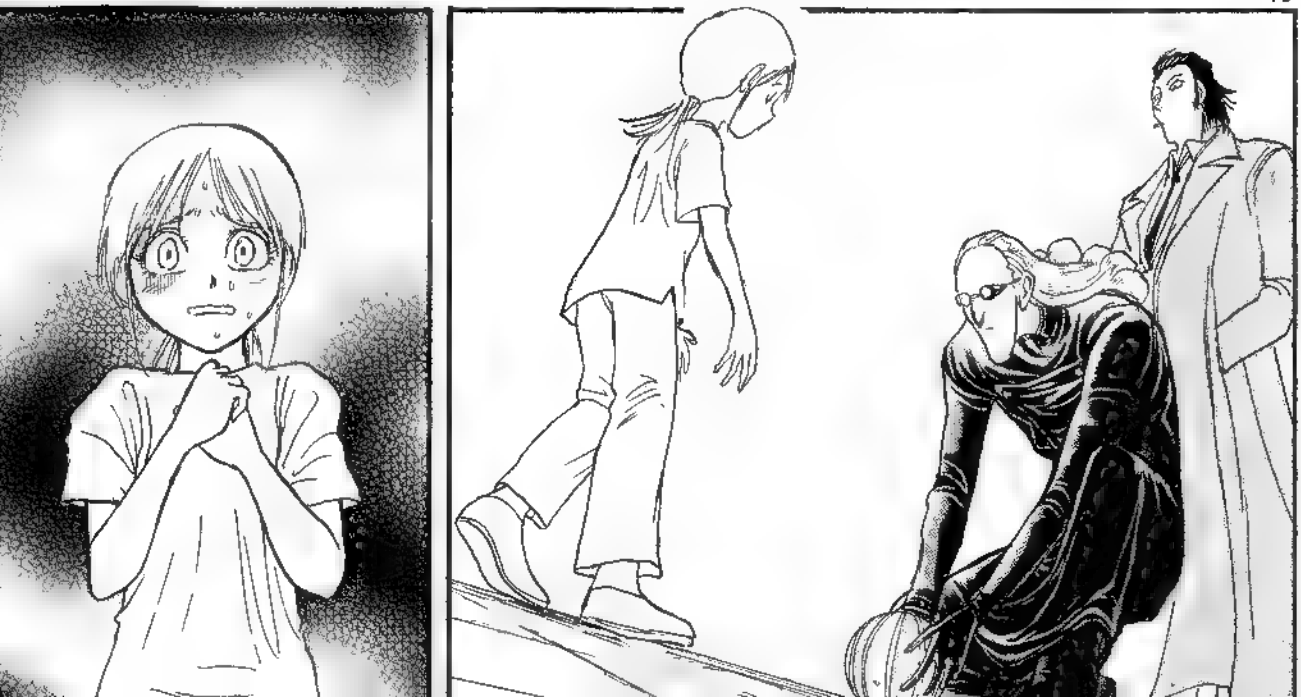

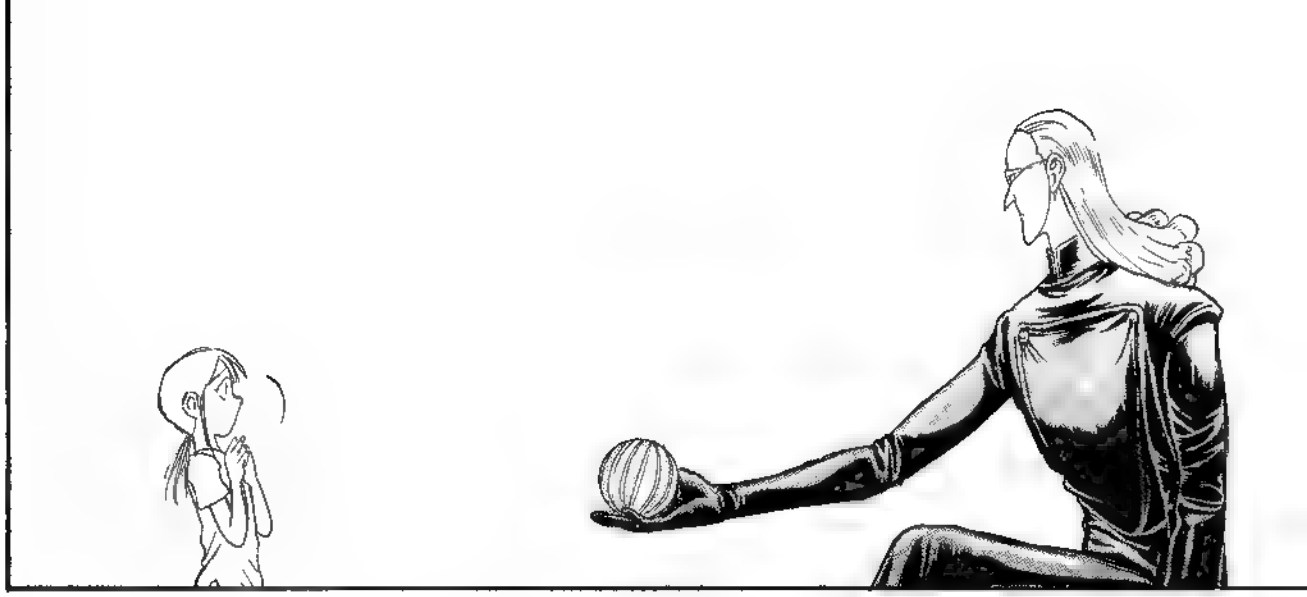

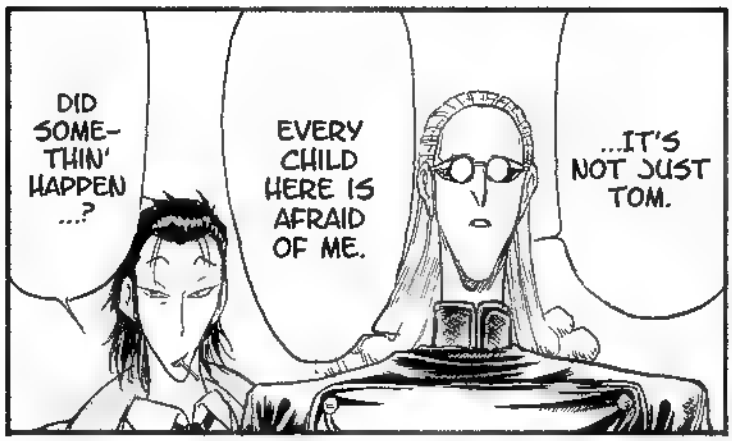
DID SOME-THIN' HAPPEN ...?
EVERY CHILD HERE IS AFRAID OF ME.
...IT'S NOT JUST TOM.

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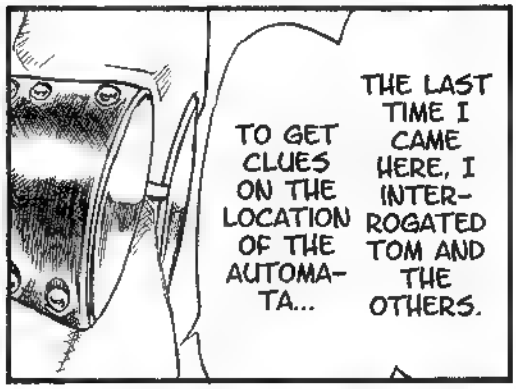
SOUNDS LIKE YOU...
NARUMI PUNCHED ME...


TO GET CLUES ON THE LOCATION OF THE AUTOMA-TA...
THE LAST TIME I CAME HERE, I INTER-ROGATED TOM AND THE OTHERS.

MY METHODS WERE TOO FORCE-FUL...

HUH... YOU'RE RIGHT...
AHAHAHAH!! AND THAT SOUNDS JUST LIKE HIM.
OHH... THAT'S UNUSUAL. GEORGE, YOU JUST LAUGHED.
DON'T YOU ALWAYS MAKE FUN OF ME WHENEVER I SMOKE?
YOU SAY, "WHY ARE YOU WILLINGLY DOING SOMETHING BAD FOR YOUR BODY? IT'S ILLOGICAL..."
HUH...? A CIGAR-ETTE?
ASHIHANA... CAN YOU GIVE ME ONE OF THOSE...?

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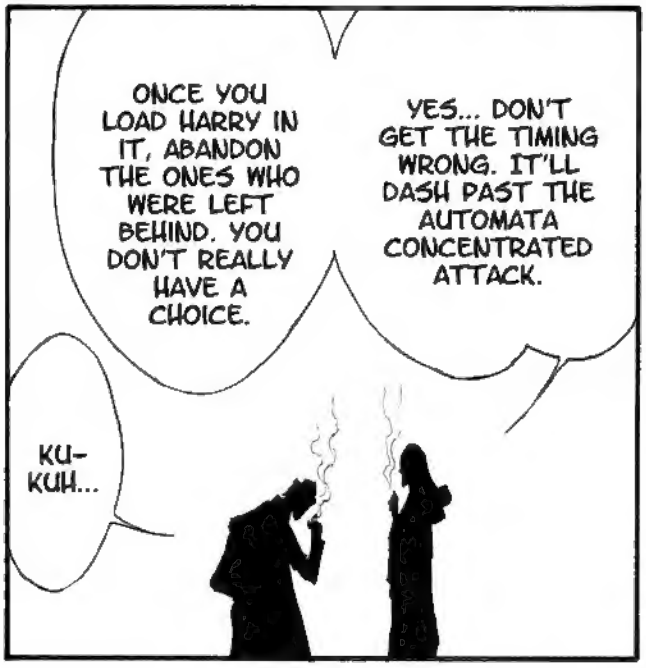
HMPH, WELL, THAT'S ALRIGHT. HERE...
MAYBE I'M JUST TIRED OF LIVING LIFE LOGICAL-LY...


ONCE YOU LOAD HARRY IN IT, ABANDON THE ONES WHO WERE LEFT BEHIND. YOU DON'T REALLY HAVE A CHOICE.
YES... DON'T GET THE TIMING WRONG. IT'LL DASH PAST THE AUTOMATA CONCENTRATED ATTACK.
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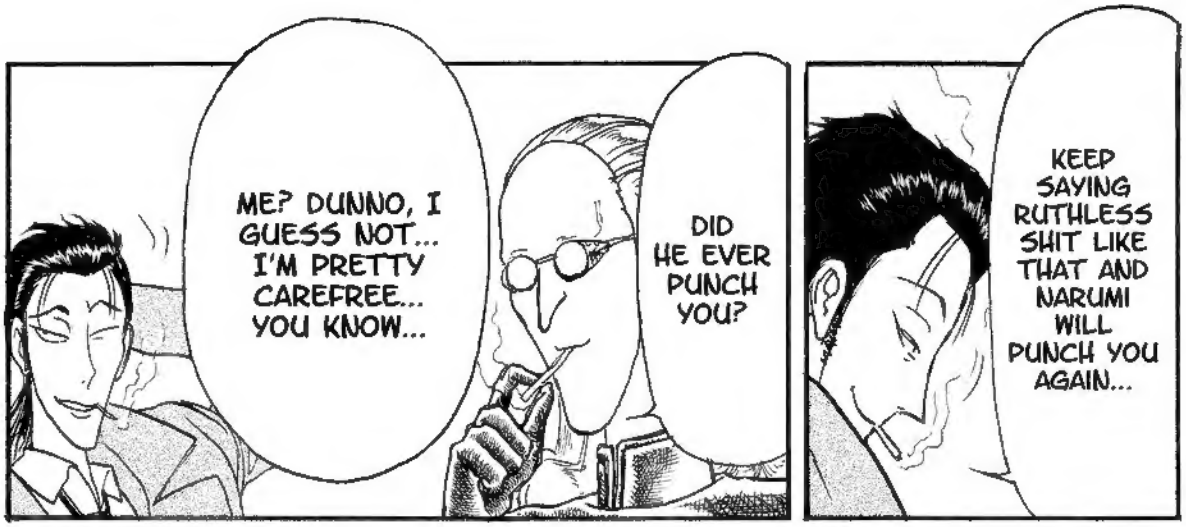
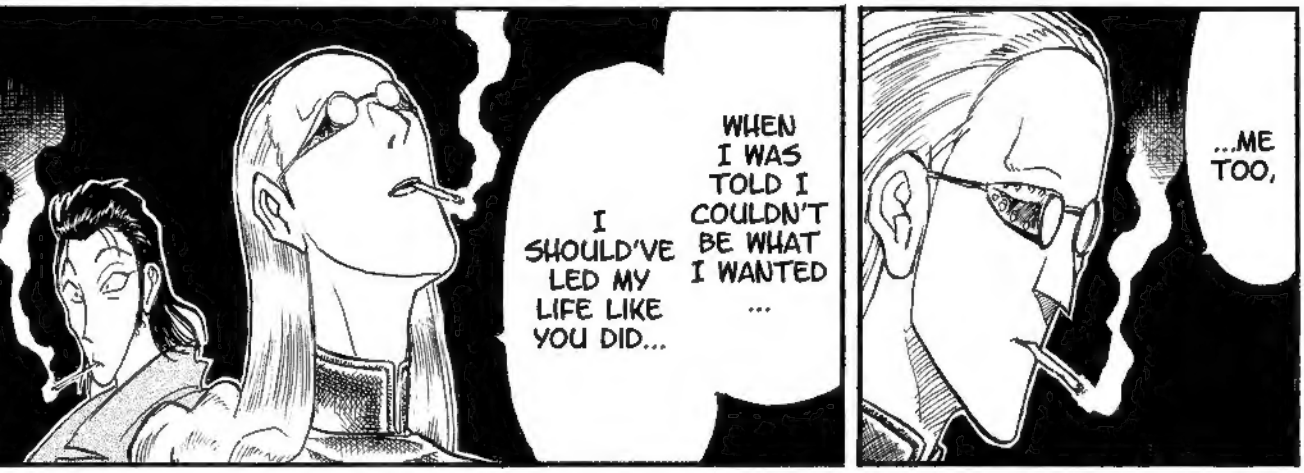
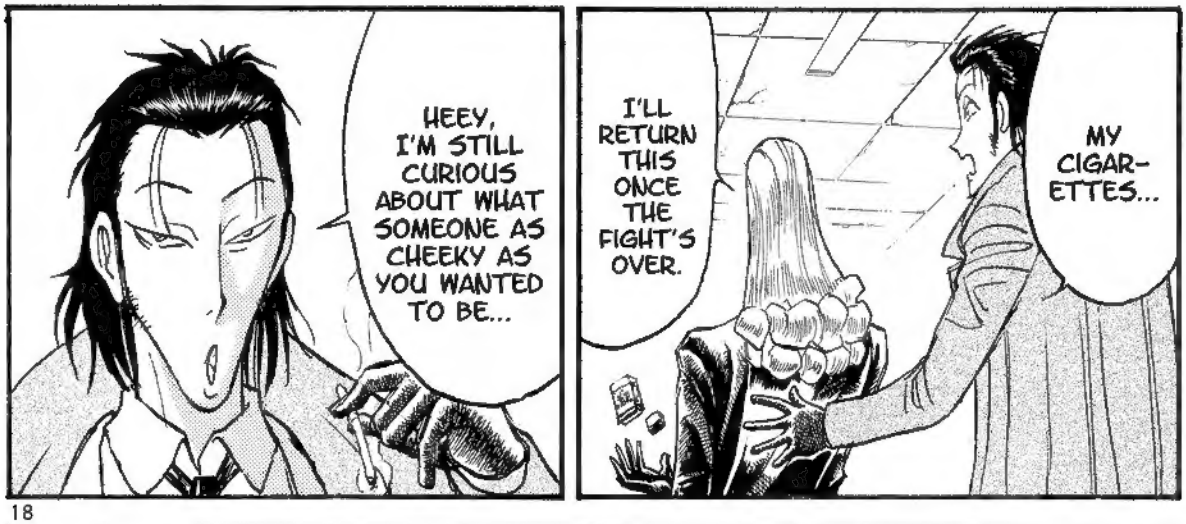
YOU KNOW HOW TO ESCAPE, RIGHT, ASHIHANA ...?
YOU MEAN CALLING THAT THING?


DID HE EVER PUNCH YOU?
ME? DUNNO, I GUESS NOT... I'M PRETTY CAREFREE... YOU KNOW...
KEEP SAYING RUTHLESS SHIT LIKE THAT AND NARUMI WILL PUNCH YOU AGAIN...


WHEN I WAS TOLD I COULDN'T BE WHAT I WANTED ...
I SHOULD'VE LED MY LIFE LIKE YOU DID...
...ME TOO,

OH, C'MON, IT'S YOUR FIRST TIME DOING THIS?!
YOU CAN'T JUST LET IT IN YOUR LUNGS LIKE THAT
BY THE WAY, GEORGE. WHAT DID YOU WANT TO BE?
HUH? HEY, GEORGE-SAN...

ANYHOW, LET ME BORROW THIS.
LOWERED
HEE HEE...
HOW CAN YOU LIKE THIS THING...?


HEEY, I'M STILL CURIOUS ABOUT WHAT SOMEONE AS CHEEKY AS YOU WANTED TO BE...
I'LL RETURN THIS ONCE THE FIGHT'S OVER.
MY CIGAR-ETTES...

DON'T PUT ON AIRS...
I'LL TELL YOU WHEN I RETURN THIS...